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UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

HOLLOW NICKEL MOLD MEMBERS FOR USE IN BLOW MOLDING

the specification of which

☒ is attached hereto: OR

☐ was filed on _____ as Application Serial No. _____.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the patentability of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56(a).

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

PRIOR FOREIGN APPLICATION(S)

<u>NUMBER</u>	<u>COUNTRY</u>	<u>DAY/MONTH/YEAR FILED</u>	<u>PRIORITY CLAIMED</u>
<u>2,430,546</u>	<u>Canada</u>	<u>May 30, 2003</u>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §120 of any United States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this

application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code, §112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, §1.56(a) which occurred between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

<u>Appln Serial No.</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>	<u>Status</u>
		[] Patented [] Pending [] Abandoned

I hereby appoint **W.D. Moss (Registration No. 27,749); P.R. Hammond (Registration No. 27,524); P.E. McArdle (Registration No. 26,138); P.K. Holland (Registration No. 28,174); J.R. Lake (Registration No. 31,081); R.S. Mitchell (Registration No. 31,228); W.B. Vass (Registration No. 36,416); R.H. Joachim (Registration No. 40,353); David J. Heller (Registration No. 43,384); David J. Greer (Registration No. 43,395); Steven H. Leach (Registration No. 53,916) and Fraser D. Rowand (Registration No. 53,870);** as my attorneys with full power of substitution and revocation, to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the United States Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith; and I request that all correspondence be directed (unless otherwise designated in an associate power of attorney) to: **Messrs. RIDOUT & MAYBEE LLP, One Queen Street East, Suite 2400, Toronto, Ontario M5C 3B1, Canada.**

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

Wherefore I pray that Letters Patent be granted to me for the invention or discovery described and claimed in the foregoing specification and claims, and I hereby subscribe my name to the foregoing specification and claims, declaration, power of attorney, and this petition.

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Date Sept 30 - 2003

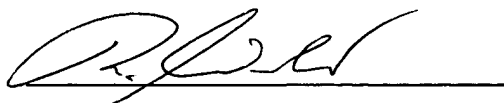
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IN THE MATTER of United States
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and entitled: **HOLLOW NICKEL MOLD MEMBERS FOR USE IN BLOW MOLDING**

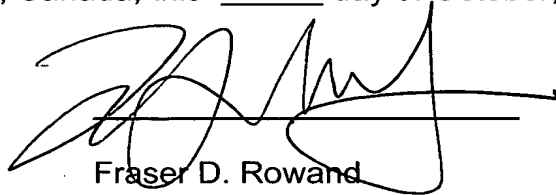
**ASSOCIATE POWER OF ATTORNEY AND DIRECTION
FOR FORWARDING CORRESPONDENCE**

THE UNDERSIGNED, Fraser D. Rowand, Reg. No. 53,870, having been duly appointed attorney in respect of the above-referenced United States patent application hereby appoints the practitioners at customer number: **24573**

as his attorneys with full power of substitution and revocation, to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

AND THE UNDERSIGNED further directs that communications concerning the application are to be directed to Michael S. Leonard at the firm of Bell, Boyd & Lloyd LLC, P.O. Box 1135, Chicago, Illinois 60690-1135, United States of America (telephone No. 312- 807-4270).

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